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Please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the collection plate so we will have a record of your visit, AND Come Again Soon~!

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Schedule of Services:

Sunday:	Bible Classes for all ages	9:00 am
	Morning Worship	10:00 am
	Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday:	Wednesday Evening Meal	6:00 pm
	Bible Classes for all ages	7:00 pm

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE**

****Please silence your phones before worship begins****

Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 9:00 am
Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 am

Announcements & Prayer: **Matt Oualline**
Song Leader: **John McAree**

Song #794 Unto Thee, O Lord
Song #238/239 You Are the Song/In Moments Like These

Song #381 Years I Spent in Vanity

Communion:
Brian Sherrin Jordan Meeks Mike Willis
James West Brad Chastain Alan Little

Song #742 Count Your Many Blessings

Offering

Song #810 Listen to Our Hearts
Song #96 I Stand in Awe

Message: **Richard Kellam**

Invitation Song #909 There's a Fountain Free
Song #881 Manson Over the Hilltop

Closing Prayer: Mark Eldridge

Sunday Evening 6 pm
Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship

Wednesday Evening Worship at 7:00 pm
Adult Class –Auditorium Ladies' Class –Fellowship hall
Toddler Class 1st – 5th Grade Class
Youth Group (Summit) - High School classroom

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan. 21 Teacher Meeting (All age groups) after services
Jan. 24 Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm
Jan. 24 Wednesday Night Devotional & Classes, 7 pm
Jan. 26 Youth Game Night, 6 pm

LETTERS

Receiving a handwritten letter is a thing of the past. Very seldom do loved ones sit down and write to tell you the news of their family or to give you information. Computer-generated letters are what we find in the mailbox. E-mail or text keeps you up to date.

I have a letter from my grandmother. I had forgotten about it, so when I found it a few months ago, I was elated to see it. Her handwriting and the limited information are treasures.

Christians are blessed to have letters they can read every day. Paul was concerned about the churches in the different parts of the world. He would sit and write them long letters to be read in the churches across the regions he had visited. He did not have God's blessing to go to some churches he wrote to. He had only heard some were having problems and would write to them.

James, John, and Peter have letters we can read at will. The advice or encouragement from all the letters is there anytime we want to sit and read...or listen.

You Version of the bible in any version you want or prefer is available for us on our phones. It is free to download. Any subject you want to study can be listened to. Paul's letters might take an extended time to reach the churches he wrote to. We only have to open our Bibles and read any letter we choose. His letters are to be cherished.

~JoAnn Hamil

**Youth
Game Night**



1/26 | 6PM

MEET US IN
THE CHURCH BUILDING.

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES:

****Floyd Rogers**, Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Floyd Rogers 01216373, P.O. Box 660400 Dallas, Texas 75266-0400
Kris & Shea Ivy, 4102 CR 3221, Lone Oak, TX 75453
Chance Stone, 3075 B Juniper Street SW, McChord Field, WA 98439
Emily (Hooten) & Nathan Heinrichs, 1445 N. Pecan Hill, Stephenville, TX 76401
Mason & Anna (Hooten) Krantz, 1512 Colony St. Flower Mound, TX 75028
Linda Higgins, 3400 Miles Rd. apt 2006. Sachse, Tx 75048
Priscilla Martin, Brookdale Georgetown, 2600 E. University Ave, #117, Georgetown, TX 78626
Dustin Winkler, 5616 Spring Valley Rd., Apt 170, Dallas, TX 75254
Ken Hare & Renée Funk, 1864 South Mountain Rd., Marshall, AR 72650
Jonny Knighton, 824 Churchill St., College Station, TX 77840
Knighton, Jason D. 7251 Robbins Rd., Stop #677, Moody AFB, GA 31699
Wonda Banks, 219 PR 8515, Point, TX 75472
****Kenna Kellam**, 1615 S. Delaware Pl Tulsa, OK 74104
Rodney & Paula Britt, 6046 21st Century Dr., Charlestown, IN 47111
Cleta Hooten, Greenville Health and Rehab, Room 404A, 4910 Wellington Street, Greenville, TX 75401
Randy & Jeanne (Killough) Botteicher, 392 Spring Run Rd. Belleville, PA 17004
****Jo Ann Hamil** 242 CR 1112 Quitman, TX 75783

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Budget</u>
1/07/24	104	\$3,929	\$3,000
1/14/24	110	\$4,317	\$3,000
1/21/24		\$	\$3,000
1/28/24		\$	\$3,000

CHURCH NEWS CONNECTION

The Church News Connection is a messaging system that allows us to send out important information to all the church members quickly. This information is sent out via text so you will have the information on your phone in just a few minutes. If you are not receiving any of the messages or would like to have something sent out

Please contact any of the following people.
Chandra Cline 719-377-7300
Katie Preast 903-504-9955
Jake Pickens 903-456-3445

Interested in receiving church updates?

Here is how:

- 1) Download the Remind App (it is free)
- 2) Sign up for an account
- 3) Login to the App
- 4) Click on Add a Class and then select Join an existing class
- 5) Enter the following code - @637a27

Need more assistance?

Please see Katie Preast, Jake Pickens or Lisa Clark

WHO TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION

Good Samaritans	Stephanie Garner
Church Historian (give pictures, articles, etc.)	Rica Kellam
Church Directory	Debbie Ivy
Visitation	Dianne Willis
Newsletter	Lisa Clark

DEACONS

Dail Hooten	Lance Hooten	Larry Hooten
John McAree	James West	

COMMITTEES

Building Use and Activities Committee:

Ken Player

Construction Committee:

Wayne Garner	Larry Hooten	Dail Hooten
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Finance Committee:

Lance Hooten	Alan Little	Mike Willis
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Funeral Food Hostesses:

Laura Oualline
 Brenda Stark
 Vivian Warren



Correspondence Team:

Monday Morning Breakfast Ladies - Visitors –
 Sick/home bound
 Dianne Willis - Encouragement



JANUARY WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

The **Wednesday night** meals are served at **6:00 pm.**

**Laura Oualline Brenda Stark Lisa Clark
 JoAnn Hamil Amber Oualline**

are responsible for the meals in **JANUARY.**

Their NEXT meal will be Wednesday **January 24th.**

January Schedule

		Message	Song Leader
Jan. 21	AM	Richard Kellam	John McAree
	PM	Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship	
Jan. 28	AM	Richard Kellam	KC Smith
	PM	James West	Dylan West

Lord's Table

Brian Sherrin	Jordan Meeks
Mike Willis	James West
Brad Chastain	Alan Little

Pray with All Your
Heart Believe with All
Your Soul & You Will
See God Move

*Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.
Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord.*
James 5:13-14

PRAYERS ARE
A CONVERSATION
WITH GOD



PRAISES:

*“Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.”
1 Thessalonians 5:16-17*

Elaine Patterson, JoAnn Hamil's niece had successful heart surgery on Wed. She should be released from the hospital on Monday.

Bob Russell, is doing well after a trip to the ER where they found some blood clots. He will be following up with his doctors in the near future.

SPIRITUALLY:

Diana Boyer

Tina Smith's sister **Natalia** and her son are both in need of our prayers.

Rea Daniels has asked for prayers.

Jackie Pickens praying for the Spirit to speak through her to those around her both family and friends.

Pam Higbee

Shala Campbell

Kandra Murphy has asked for our prayers

Higher Ground

Our Elders

Our Deacons

S.H.A.R.E

Please pray

- For our young adults
- For our children
- For the Jail Ministry in Wood County (both the men and women)
- for the situation in Israel.
- our country.
- our state.
- our community.
- our schools.
- our church.

Please pray for all of our leaders and the decisions they make.

Please remember our members and their families currently serving in the military:

Chance Stone, son of **Rheann & Gary Stone**, & **Jason Knighton**, son of **LeeAnn Knighton**.

Pam Higbee requested prayers for the following:

Angela Shugart - stomach issues

Ashley Moffit - brain surgery

Jodie Manning - breast mass was found

Marvin & Tina Smith - praying as their wait continues.

Norma Resneder - continued prayers for healing

Diana Boyer's daughter, **Lara** has been diagnosed with Osteoporosis. She asks for prayers that the medication will slow down the process and build up her bone density.

Kadie Nowell and her four children, especially her two boys are in need of our prayers. Their father, **Jared Nowell**, died recently in a car accident. They are from Brownwood.

Nic Cline's father, **David Cline**, has been in the hospital and had surgery. He is doing some better.

Darrell Kempf's wife, **Kim Kempf** is home on hospice care.

Eric Smith, friend of **Richard** and **Rica** (amputation)

Floyd "Eddie" Rogers continued issues with his legs.

Nan & John Satterwhite (dealing with health issues)

Randa Chastain's uncle, **Eugene Edwards**

Roger and Shirley Hooten

Linda Rawle's brother has stage 4 cancer

Pam Higbee's sister-in-law's sister, **Annie** and neighbor, **Crystal**.

Patsy Brott, cancer

John Garrett, brain aneurism

Debbie Tolison, breast cancer

Ronnie Kinworthy cancer has returned

Linda Wolfe, friend of **Jo Ann Hamil**, cancer

Matthew Killough, metastatic melanoma

Brenda Stark's sister, **Tammy Krantz** (cancer)

Lacy Coker, a friend of **Randa Chastain** (colon cancer)

Linda Sustaire (chemo for breast cancer)

Marvin Smith's mother (cirrhosis of the liver)

Megan Higbee, daughter of **Pam Higbee**

Jamie Rogers (cancer, and son who has terminal cancer)

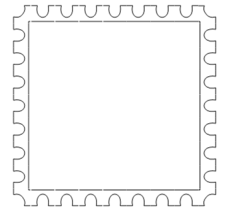
Tom Waters (prostate cancer)

Cleta Hooten (dementia)

Jackie & Jakie Pickens (several health issues)



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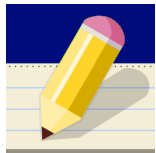


SECURITY MEASURES

As a step toward implementing Security Measures, the Elders have decided that **the two doors on either side of the podium will remain open during services, BUT all other doors will be locked ten minutes after services start.** However, you may leave the building through any door, at any time.

LIVE STREAMING

If you are unable to meet with us in person, please join us on **Sunday mornings at 10 am** on the **Point Church of Christ Facebook Page** for our live streamed service.



Take Note:

Upcoming activities:

- **Jan. 21 - Teacher Meeting after services**
- **Jan. 26th & 27th - Forest Song Shiloh Rd. Tyler**
- **Jan. 26th –28th - College Age Retreat at Camp Akiva with League Street**
- **Feb. 9th & 10th - You Say Conference Tulsa, OK**
- **Feb. 16th - 18th - AFC Weekend**
- **Feb. 23rd - 25th - NETSYS Camp at Camp Akiva**
- **Mar. 2nd - Spring Singing**
- **Apr. 4th - 7th Men's Higher Ground Climb**
- **Apr. 11th - 14th Women's Higher Ground Climb**



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Jan. 24 - Layton Hooten
Jan. 26 – Shannon Sheppard



Train up a child in the way he should go – but be sure you go that way yourself.
– Charles Spurgeon